GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5910
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EPF Hospitals
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a)whether the Government has any funds under the EPF for the development of EPF hospitals and dispensaries in Tamil Nadu;
(b)if so, the details thereof and the funds ear-marked for the same in the last 3 years, year-wise;
(c)whether the Government has conducted any studies on the positive and negative impacts of EPF Hospitals and health of labour force in the country;
(d)if so, the details thereof and the findings thereof; and
(e)the funds allocated in the last two years for the medical needs of rural labour force in the country, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)
(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise in view of the reply to part (a) of the Question above.

(c): No, Madam.
(d): Does not arise in view of the reply to part (a) of the Question above.
(e): The Government does not allocate funds exclusively for the medical needs of the rural labour force. However, State/UT-wise details of funds allocated for last two years i.e. 2015-16 and 2016-17 for medical needs of the Beedi/Lime Stone and Dolomite Mines (LSDM)/Iron Ore, Manganese and Chrome Mines (IOMC)/Mica Mines/Cinema workers are at Annex.
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